

California Department of Health Services Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Family Violence Referral List

The following referrals have indicated that they provide services to lesbian, gay, bisexual and/or transgender clients. Contact the specific program for more information. Please note: this list is by no means comprehensive, so be sure to check with your local lesbian/gay/bisexual/transgender anti-violence project or DV advocacy group for more resources.

Note: The agencies are designated **LGBT Sensitive** and **LGBT Specific** as defined below:

LGBT Sensitive: Domestic Violence services designed primarily for the heterosexual community that welcomes members of the LGBT community. Providers are trained in LGBT issues.

LGBT Specific: Domestic Violence services designed specifically and/or primarily for the LGBT community. Providers specialize in working with LGBT individuals and families.

Northern California

LGBT Sensitive Agencies

-  **Asian Women's Shelter
Queer Asian Women's Services (QAWS) Program**
3543 18th Street,
San Francisco, CA 94110
Office: (415) 751-7110
Service to: Lesbians, Bisexual Women, Transgender (Male to Female).
Services provided: Outreach/Education and Community organization on preventing relationship violence

-  **Stand! Against Domestic Violence**
(Formerly Battered Women's Alternatives)
P. O. Box 6406
Concord, CA 94524
Office: (925) 603-0177
Service to: All of the LGBT population.

-  **La Casa de las Madres**
1850 Mission Street, Suite B,
San Francisco, CA 94103
Office: (415) 503-0500
Service to: Lesbians, Bisexual Women, Transgender (Male to Female), and Children of LGBT parents.

 **Women Escaping a Violent Environment (W.E.A.V.E)**

P.O. Box 161389

Sacramento, CA 95816

Office: (916) 319-4915

Service to: Lesbians, Gay Men, Bisexual Men and Women, Transgender (Male to Female; Female to Male), and Children of LGBT parents.

Services provided: Counseling for victims of sexual assault.

 **Next Door Solutions to Domestic Violence**

1181 N. Fourth St. Suite A

San Jose, CA 95129

Office: (408) 279-7575

Service to: All of the LGBT Population.

Services provided: Shelter services, Education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, and Individual counseling services.

 **Center for Domestic Violence Prevention**

P.O. Box 5090

San Mateo, CA 94402

Office: (650) 652-0800

Service to: All of the LGBT Population.

Services provided:

LGBT Specific Agencies

 **Community United Against Violence (CUAV)**

160 14th Street, 1st Floor

San Francisco, CA 94103

Office: (415) 777-5500

Service to: All of the LGBT population.

Services provided: Support groups for victims, Shelter services, Education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, and Individual counseling services.

 **Family Violence Project**

San Francisco District Attorney's Office

850 Bryant Street, Room 320

San Francisco, CA 94103

Office: (415) 553-9044

Service to: All of the LGBT population.

Services provided: Crisis intervention services, and referrals to other programs.

 **Riley Center**

San Francisco Network for Battered Lesbians and Bisexual Women

3543 18th Street, Suite 28

San Francisco, CA 94110

Office: (415) 281-0276

Service to: Lesbians, Bisexual Women, and Transgender (Male to Female).

Services provided: Education and prevention programs, Telephone counseling, and Referrals.



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135 North San Mateo Drive
San Mateo, CA 94401

Office: (650) 340-6360 Ext. 10

Services to: Lesbians and LGBT sensitive.

Services provided:



Pacific Center for Human Growth

2712 Telegraph Avenue
Berkeley, CA 94501

Office: (510) 548-8283 Ext. 231

Services to: Gay Men, Lesbians, Bisexual Men and Women, Transgender/Transsexual Men (female to male), Transgender/Transsexual Women (male to female), Children of LGBT parents.

Services provided: General mental health and HIV/AIDS counseling; Peer support groups; Speakers bureau; Youth programs.



Women Organized to Make Abuse Nonexistent (WOMAN), Inc.

333 Valencia Street, Suite 251

San Francisco, CA 94103

Office: (415) 864-4777

Service to: Lesbians, Bisexual Women, and Transgender (Male to Female).

Services provided: Support groups, Education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, Individual counseling services, and providing restraining orders, police advocates, CPS advocates, and Cal-Works domestic violence program.

Southern California

LGBT Sensitive Agencies



Alternatives to Violence

3703 Long Beach Blvd., Suite E-10,
Long Beach, CA 90807

Office: (562) 493-1161

Service to: All of the LGBT Population.

Services provided: Crisis intervention services, Individual and group counseling services, Education and training for other organizations.



Assistance League of Southern California

1360 N. Saint Andrews Place,
Hollywood, CA 90028

Office: (213) 469-5893

Service to: All of the LGBT Population.



Options Counseling

3703 Long Beach Blvd., Suite E-10 or 12
Long beach, CA 90807

Office: (562) 989-0809

Service to: All of the LGBT Population.

Services provided: Support groups, and Anger management training.

 **Glendale YWCA Domestic Violence Project**
735 E. Lexington Drive
Glendale, CA 91206
Office: (818) 240-0888
Service to: Lesbians, Bisexual Women, Transgender (Male to Female), and children of LGBT parents.
Services provided: Shelter services.

 **Beverly Hills Counseling Inc.**
204 S. Beverly Dr. #116
Beverly Hills, CA 90212
Office: (310) 271-3784
Service to: Gay Men, Lesbians, Bisexual Men and Bisexual Women.
Services provided: Court approved batterer intervention programs, and Individual counseling services.

LGBT Specific Agencies

 **Lesbian and Gay Men's Community Center
(Formerly San Diego Lesbian and Gay Men's Community Center)**
2313 El Cajon Blvd.,
San Diego, CA 92104
Office: (619) 260-6380
Service to: All of the LGBT population.
Services provided: Support groups, Court approved batterer intervention programs, Shelter services, Education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, Individual counseling services, and family counseling services.

 **Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center
STOP Domestic Violence Program**
1625 N. Schrader Blvd.,
Los Angeles, CA 90028
Office: (323) 860-5806
Service to: All of the LGBT population.
Services provided: Support groups for victims, Court approved batterer intervention programs, Education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, Individual counseling services, Family counseling services, and Referral to shelter services and LGBT specific services.

Central California

LGBT Sensitive Agencies

 **Women's Shelter Program, Inc. of San Luis Obispo**
P. O. Box 125
San Luis Obispo, CA 93406
Office: (805) 781-6406
Service to: All of the LGBT Population.
Services provided: Support groups for lesbians, Shelter services, education and prevention programs, Crisis intervention services, Individual counseling services, and Family counseling services.

 **Humboldt Women for Shelter**
P. O. Box 969
Eureka, CA 95502
Office: (707) 444-9255
Service to: All of the LGBT Population.
Services provided: Support groups.

 **Wild Iris Women and Family Services**
P. O. Box 697
Bishop, CA 93515
Office: (760) 873-6601
Service to: Lesbians and Bisexual Women.
Services provided: Crisis intervention services, and Individual counseling services

 **Care and Counseling Center**
P. O. Box 711
Atascadero, CA 93423
Office: (805) 466-4681
Service to: All of the LGBT population.
Services provided: Individual and family counseling services.

 **Central Coast Violence Intervention Program**
P. O. Box 15101
San Luis Obispo, CA 93406-5101
Office: (805) 544-2273
Service to: All of the LGBT population.
Services provided: Court approved batterer intervention programs.

LGBT Specific Agencies

 **South Bay Community Services**
315 4th Avenue, # E
Chula Vista, CA 91910
Office: (619) 420-3620
Service to: All of the LGBT Population.